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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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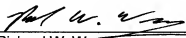
In response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 29, 2009, for which the time period to respond extends to March 2, 2009, Applicants elect Species I, depicted in Figure 3A and directed to Claims 1-3, 5-6, 8-12, 14-17, 19-20, 36, 38-41, 43-46, 53-59, without traverse.

Should the Examiner have any further questions regarding the election, the Examiner is courteously requested to contact the undersigned at the Examiner's earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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